

**WEST ARCADIA FIELD**  
**03-657**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2003**, upon the application of **CYPRESS OPERATING, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Upper Hosston Formation**, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish one (1) additional 640 ± acre drilling and production unit for the exploration for and the production of gas and condensate for the Upper Hosston Formation such unit being designated U HOSS SUS, shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property within each of the proposed units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate Cypress Operating, Inc. as the unit operator for the proposed U HOSS RA SUS and their Joe D Burns No.1 Well as the unit well, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 692 Series of Office of Conservation Orders, such well being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
4. To extend the provisions of the 692 Series of Office of Conservation Orders and other applicable statewide orders to the Upper Hosston Formation unit being proposed herein, except as they may be in conflict herewith.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Hosston Formation, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in the 692 Series of Office of Conservation Orders.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm).

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, La

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